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HOW THE DEVIL TRAVELS.

REV. T. DEWIT TALMAGE'S SUNDAY MORNING DISCOURSE.

His Satanic Majesty Marches to His Victims' Souls Through Avarice. Theft. Forgery, Jealousy, Murder, Arson, Adultery and Every Other Crime.

At the Tabernacle on Sunday morning the Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage, D. D. took for the subject of his sermon: "Satan on his Travels." His test was, Job i., 7: "And the Lord said unto Satan: Wence comest thou? Then Satan answered the Lord and said: From going thing out of that strike. What a splento and fro in the earth, and from walking up and down in it."

have Satan on his travels, and I am tile establishments. He steps in and going to tell you some of the routes he says to the clerks: 'How much salary do answer to the question: 'Whence comest | the money drawer will never be missed, thou?' the first range of mischief he may be expected to take is the air. It was not a witticism or a slip of the pen when account books a little, and you could Paul in his letter to the Ephesians called make that figure eight a naught and Satan the Prince of the Power of the that figure five a three, and if you do works through conditions of the atmos- you can some day pay it back, which phere. The west wind is full of angels, you can do perfectly easy. Don't feel the east wind is full of devils. Satan like running the risk? Well, then, you spreads abroad his black wings and hurcan't go to the theatre, and you can't ricanes and equinoctials are hatched will have to wear that plain coat, whereas ont. He takes the miasmas that float up you could have your overcoat furlined, from swamps and hatches them into ty-phoid fevers. He takes the cold blasts and hatches them into pneumonia and ly Oriental. While you are making up rheumatisms and consumptions.

"Not only has he power in the upper air where highest clouds float, but power over the lower air which we breathe, and as we breathe nineteen times a mixute and take in 350 cubic "The result of that Satantic visit is feet of air in every twenty-four hours, and much of this air affects the arterial much out of the concern that the whole circulation, you see what opportunities business is crippled, and a bright and the Prince of the Air has of contamina- promising boy is sent home to his ting and despoiling and demoralizing a mother in disgrace and a young man is he clouds the disposition and rasps the rained and three eternities. Whence nerves and covers the best of people comest thou, Satan? Satan would rather with religious despondency, as in the have one young man than twenty old case of Edward Payson and William ones. If he won the septuagenarians Cowper and that beloved apostle of and the octogenarians he could do but Evangelism, James W. Alexander. His little harm with them. But he says: great delight is to have the air of Give me a young man, especially if he churches vitiated, and in that way dulls be bright and generous and social.' He the prescher and stupifies the people, sees that the young men have for good and sees to it that the atmosphere of not or had been the mightiest in this world. is fit to breathe, and whole congrega- 32. Gustavus Adolphus became immor-

through domestic life. There is no years in a young man's life are of more greater sport for him than conjugal power for good or evil than the last quarrels. He says to the husband: fifteen of an old man's life. So Satan is quarrels. He says to the husband: fifteen of an old man's life. So Sauth is 'What a plain wife you have compared especially greedy for young men, and with what she once was. Don't you see in going to and fro in the earth he has Samples and prices cheerfully sent that the color has gone out of her cheek, especial temptation for them.
on application. Orders entrusted to and there are several wrinkles about her "Another route that Satan on his on application. Orders entrusted to and there are several wrinkles about her locks? Besides that, you have advanced dispoiling of the people's sculs. It does fear in intelligence, while she has stood still rot pay him merely to destroy the bodies or gone back. How hard it is that you of men and women. Those bodies should be chained to such dullness and would soon be gone anyhow; but great imbecility!' Then he turns and says to treasures are involved in this Satanic exhis wife: 'That man neglects you; you cursion. On this route he meets a man have a right to be jealous. He likes his who is aroused by something he has cigar and his club and anything and seen in the Bible, and Satan says: 'Now everything better than you. Why not I can settle all that. The Bible is an get a divorce? Marriage is only a civil imposition. It has been deluding the contract anyhow, and not a divine alli- world for centuries. Do not let it deance. Let me have that ring. It means lude you. It has no more authority nothing, and you might as well give it than the Koran of the Mohammedan or to me. Satan and he tosses it into the yawning Vesta of the Persian!' He meets another

gulf. and its MENU is not excelled by any in the lations strained almost to the breaking, cipitation? Religion is right, but any and I commend to all men and women time within the next ten years will be who are restless in the present marriage soon enough for you. A man with a state that they resume the old time stont chest like yours and such muscular courtship and take as much pains to development, need not be bothering make themselves agreeable as they did himself about the next world.' five or ten or twenty years ago, before Satan says nothing to him about the fact the wedding march announced to the that the professor who gave his whole flushed and fluttering crowd that the life to the study of health and could lift bride and groom were coming. Accord- more pounds than any American, died ing to the statistics of Professor Dikes, at about 40, and that another learned in one year in moral New Hampshire man who proved conclusively that if we there were 241 divorces; in temperate observed all the laws of health we need Maine, 478 divorces; in good old Massa-never die, expired before he got his book chasetts, 600 divorces, and in New Eug- on that subject published. land of 'steady habits,' 2,113. In one county of Hlinois 830 divorce suits were begun in one year, and in many places and is beginning to pray God for forit seems as if new arrangement had been made of the commandments, and instead 'You are too late; the Lord will not help of ten there were only nine, the seventh such a wretch as you, you might as well commandment having been left out. brave up and fight your own way When you see how many husbands and through.' And so with a spite and an wives are parted by law, and know of so acuteness and a velocity that have been many who would like to dissolve conju- gaining for 6,000 years, he ranges up

'Another route that Satan is apt to has rejoiced in every pestilence. Tuition from \$1.00 to \$2.00 per month.

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Board from Monday to Friday per month sits in the office or counting room and a ship wreck. Lararettoes, insane asylums, good many hands of laborers are busy commercial panies, plagues, destroying among wheels and spindles and fabrics. angels, continental earthquakes, and lishment all alone with his correspond- ism, and the Mohammedanism, and These men and women in your employ misery into oceans of wretchedness, withare very common mold. Their appetite out realizing the power of the evil one, is coarser and they do not need the lux- who reported to the Lord Almighty, starvation and take all the profits into in it.' your own possession, and if they do not

> "Having done his work in the counting-room, Satan steps right out among in surrendering. Do not feel so secure the workmen. He says: 'You work too in yourself as to think you cannot be many hours and you do your work better overthrown. How do you account for than it needs to be done. You are the fact that there are so many old men serving a bloated bond-holder, anyhow. in Sing Sing and Auburn and the other He has no right to have any more than penitentiaries serving out their proyou have. Why should he ride and you tracted sentences for frauds committed walk? Why should he have tenderloin in midlife or advanced ages, although steak and you salt pork? Captial is the their early life had been good, and enemy of labor. Let labor be the sworn nothing had been suspected of them foe of capital. Why don't you strike until at 50 or 60 years of age the whole and bring him to terms? Wait until he land was struck dumb at their forgery has a large order to fill by contract, and or embezzlement. The clock in the then he cannot help himself. Go all steeple of old Trinity Church striking tables, and after they had been accepted

he has more resources than you know of and persists in going on and getting new men, give them a volley of brickbats or put a little dynamite in his office and blow him and his factory all up with the same explosion.'

"Look out there on the night sky Great fire somewhere. What is it? The night is cold and Satan has made a big bonfire of that factory to warm himself by. The capitalist has lost heavily and the workmen and their families are without bread and clothing. 'Whence comest thou, Satan?' 'From going to and fro among employers and employees, and walking up and down among them. Ha! ha! I was the only one that made any-

smoke!' "Another route Satan is apt to take in "In my test," said Dr. Talmage, "we his active travels is through the mercan-I think that it means that Satan not feel exactly right about doing that your mind I will just go through the different parts of this great commercial

that one of the partners has drawn so Through atmospheric influence in jail for embezzlement. Three lives

The ring is handed over to the Shaster of the Hindoo, or the Zendaulf. man who is hastening toward the king-"There are thousands of marriage redom of God and sas: Why all this pre-

"Satan meets another man who has gone through a long course of profligacy giveness, and Satan says to the man: On this visit he will first step into the world wide disasters are to him a manufacturer's office and finding the perfect glee. Can you look upon owner and proprietor of the great estab- the Communism and the Mormonence and his account books, says to him: the wide sweep of drunkenness and You are not making as much money fraud and libertinism, the France-Geras you ought. You furnish all the brains. man War and Crimean War, the North Were it not for your enterprise this es- and South United States War, and rivers tablishment would not be in existence. of blood flowing across continents of uries you require. Their comfort and and when asked: Whence comest thou? happiness are of very little importance. answered: 'From going to and fro in Pat them down on the very verge of the earth and from going up and down

"Remember, it is no sin at all to be like it tell them to go where they can do tempted. The best and the mightiest have be tempted. Milton describes a toad quat at the ear of Eve. The sin is

and tell him you are going to stop. If Wall-streeter of the passage of time that would soon bring exposure to and doom. The explanation is that Mephistopheles, Apollyon, Satan got in his work at that time. The man was not naturally bad. He was as good as any of you are, but

Satan, with whole battalions of infernals, swooped upon him unawares. Look oul for the wiles of the devil, not only those of you who are young, but the middle-aged and the old. Outside of God you are not safe a moment. But yield not to disheartenment. If we put our trust in God our best days are yet to come-days of victory, days of song, days of Heaven, and the best days of the cause of righteousness in all the earth are yet to come. As the ten thousand men of Zenophon's army when did fire and lots of smoke! Ha: ha! I like they came to the top of Mount Theches and saw the waters on which they were to sail to their homes, the soldiers with clapping hands and waving banners all together shouted: 'The sea, the sea!' So we to-day in our march toward our heavenly home come up to the top of going to tell you some of the foures me you get? Is that all? Why, you can't heavenly home come up to the top of live on that! You have a right to enough the mountain of holy anticipation and the palace where he reported himself in for a livelihood. A few quarters out of look off upon oceans of light, and oceans look off upon oceans of light, and oceans of joy; and, thrilled as we never have been thrilled before, we clap our hands

DELIBERATIONS OF THE DOCTORS.

President Talley's Address-Proceedings of the Meeting.

(Columbia Record, Nov. 15.) The Association of Confederate Medical Survivors of the Army and Navy met in the Council Chamber at noon today. The following members were present: Messrs. A. N. Talley, W. B. Taylor, A. J. China, Wm. Anderson, R. H. Edmunds, F. L. Frost, Middleton Michel, Thos. J. McKie, James McIntosh, A. S. Salley, George R. Todd.

President Talley delivered an address of velcome as follows:

"It is with sincere pleasure that I welome you on this the first anniversary of our Association and my welcome waxes warmer with a knowledge of the sacrifices your presence here involves-sacrifices none but the busy practitioner may appreciate or the patriotic citizen make. That our membership is not more largely represented we deeply regret, but censure is not an element of that regret, for we are far from suspecting our absent friends of waning interest in the objects of our meet

ing.
"In offering you the welcome which it is my province and pleasure to extend, permy province expression to a thought more than one out of a hundred churches Hernando Cortes conquered Mexico at mit me to give expression to a thought is fit to breathe, and whole congrega- 32. Gustavus Adolphus became immor- which I hope you will deem neither irreletions, Sabbath after Sabbath, are as-tal in history so early that he died at vant nor ill-timed. It is true that ours is phynxisted. Yes, he is worthy of the 38. Raphael, the most famous of paint-in no sense a political organization, and title St. Paul gave him—'Prince of the ers, died at 37. William Pitt was Prime Minister of England at 24. Jesus Christ ordinate to the instincts of patriotism, but lection of the humiliation, deep, dark and damning, to which he has been subjected, yet rankling in his heart and branded upon his memory—can fail to look with anxiety upon our political environment. The clouds which once darkened our civilization and threatened our extinction again and there are several wrinkles about her tander route that Satan on his appear in our horizon and the listening ear temples and a sprinkling of frost on her active travels is apt to take is for the may catch the stealthy steps of change and

"Do we not, my comrades and friends, in this menace find an incentive to closer union, the bands of a stronger brotherhood? Does it not admonish us to cherish the recollection of what we have done and suffered in our country's cause that we may derive fresh inspiration from the recollec tion? True it is we may never again be called upon to forsake kindred and home for the perils of the battle-field-and God grant that we never may! But should the call come, the experience of the past teaches that it will not fall upon deaf ears in this association.

"But let us rather hope that the new era will not be one of stratagems and spoils, of sectional strife and vindictive persecu tion, but that a broad philanthropy and an enlightened patriotism may shape the destinies of our common country."

On motion of Dr. McIntosh a committee

was appointed to select eminent surgeons to address the association at the next meeting. The committee consists of Doctors Michell, McIntosh and Talley. On motion of Dr. China the present offiers were re elected.

The following lineal descendants of members were elected members of the association: Doctors M. G. Salley, R. Andral Bratton, W. T. Edmunds and A. N.

Doctors F. P. Porcher and James McInosh were appointed a committee on Necro-The association then adjourned to meet

at 8.39 P. M. at the residence of Dr. Taylor, who has tendered the body a collation.

The Shapshoroters. The Sharpshooters of McGowan's Brig ade assembled again last night and effected a permanent organization with the follow-Secretary, John C. Squier; Treasurer, David Moore.

The following were enrolled as members: Maj. W. S. Dunlop, Arkansas, commanding battalion; Lieut. N. I. Hasel, Charleston; Sergeant David Moore, Columbia; S. W. Ruff, Fairfield; Rufus Harling, Edgefield; I. Dicks, Barnwell; Henry Bundrick Fairfield: John C. Squier, Columbia; S Thomas, Richland; Colonel A. C. Haskell olumbia; O. F. Chappell, Bookman's W. H. Brunson, Edgefield.

Major Dunlop delivered an interesting

recital of the war history of the brigade, and a vote of thanks was tendered bim After the meeting the members met at Branigan's, where they partook of an ex-

cellent supper.-Columbia Record, No-

Rumors of a Terrible Railroad Accident. GREENVILLE. Nov. 12.-The North Carolina Air Line train, due here at 1.51

P. M. did not arrive on time, and the de pot officials have been notified that the train has been abandoned on account of a wreck between Toccoa and Tugaloo River trestle. Particulars of the accident are unauthenticated here, but it is learned reliably that the train was thrown from the track and afterwards caught fire and burned up. Horrible possibilities are suggested, but reports are conflicting as to whether there was any loss of life or not.

A generous patron was a lady who con ributed to a fair held the other day. b ought a large number of useful and fancy articles to assist in the adornment of the together, without a moment's warning, the hours did not remind the recreant purchased them all herself.

OLD BILL HINDSLEY.

Tennesseean Who Couldn't Tell the A horseback traveler, in Tennessee, approached an old fellow who sat on a log, near Richland Station, and asked him if he had lived long in that neighborhood. The old fellow scratched his grizzly beard, looked about him,

whistled softly and then said: "I lived here when Andrew Jackson made his famous State Bank speech. standing right out there on stump.'

"You don't say so!" 🔞 🧓 "Yes, I do." "What is your name?"

"Those who know me best and who consequently respect me most, refer to me as Hon. William Hindsley, but the more ignorant, and consequently more familar, call me old Bill."

"Very productive land about here, I suppose?" the stranger said. 'So do I." "Good place for watermelons?"

"Tolerable. I raised a few last year that were putty good size. I know a sponding and re echoing heavens: 'The passul of us took one, ripped it in two with old Uncle Jim McLaughlin's crosscut saw, hulled out the meat, and got in the shell and paddled across the high water." "You don't say so!"

"Yes, I do." "Good place for corn?"

"Only tolerable. I raised some last year, though, that was putty good Passul of us one day shelled one of the ears, put the cob on Wat Goosetree's wagon and hauled it to a saw-mill." "What for?"

"To have it sawed into lumber." "You don't—"
"Yes, I do," Mr. Hindsley broke in.

"That's a pretty big stump out there," said the stranger.

"Yes, pretty good size." "Was the tree very tall?" "About two hundred feet." "You-"

"Yes, I do."

"I cut it down last spring was a year "Thought you said that Andrew Jackson stood on that stump."

"How long has it been cut down?"

"Oh, no; I said he leaned against the "Yes, I remember now. Timber grows very rapidly in this country,

"Yes, pretty peart. I neglected chopping down some black oak sprouts in But to do him justice, these are the rewe chopped down several of them and split them into rails."

that great tree that was so tall, how long was that growing?"

"Well, that is remarkable. Now,

next May." "I thought you said that Andrew Jackson leaned against that tree." "Oh, no; I said he used to own the

land where the tree grew." The stranger rode away, and meeting a man shortly afterward, asked projects in a common ruin. - Fortnighthim if he knew Hon. William Hinds-

"Know him pretty well?" . "Yes, well enough to know that out here at the station if a man repeats any thing that old Bill says, w'y, we fine him a bushel of meal." "Suppose the indiscreet man refuses

"Yes, I know old Bill."

"He can't help himself, for the matter has been decided by the Supreme Court. A fellow named Ben Hardin contested the case, and it broke him Every thing was sold unreservedly. up."-Arkansaw Traveler.

HOTELS IN JAVA.

One of Mrs. Forbes' Experiences in the Eastern Archipelago. Hotels here are all similar in plan, a quadrangle. The front block is the reception hall, fronted by a veranda. The veranda is faced with marble, and disposed in it are numerous small tables, chairs and lounges. Passing from the veranda through the reception hall you will find the dining room extended back into the square. It is simply roofed, and flowers in pots and pendant creepers fill the open sides. The bedrooms open into the court-yard, formed by the remaining three sides of the square, having each a veranda furnished with a table and a lounging chair, making, as it were, a parlor for the occupant of the bedroom behind. As I returned (from the bath) at every cottage door sat the occupants, the gentlemen lying back in their chairs, with their bare feet extended over the long ledges. Ladies sat by them and below, and "boys" hurried hither and thither. The sarong and kabia form the native dress, adopted by the European ladies for comfort and convenience in the climate, and worn by them as sleeping attire, as also during the day in a richer form. Imagine a piece of calico two yards long cut from a web. Sew together the raw edges, and you have a petticoat without band or hem. Imagine it covered with floral patterns or curious devices of crawling creatures, or having a village with houses and scenes of daily life depicted on it, and you see a sarong, or skirt. Put this over your head, draw all the fullness in front, and form of this a large plait; put round your waist to hold it a cord with a rich tassel depending, or a gay silk sash. Then put on a dressing jacket of fine lawn, trimmed with lace; loosen your hair and let it fall down your back; slip your

stockingless feet into Indian-looking

pantoffles, with gilt or silver embroid-

ery. Take now a fan in your hand and

THE SULTAN'S COURT.

How Abdul Hamid Lost the Respect of His

Partisans and People. Round the Sultan moves a little world of marshals, chamberlains, secretaries, dragomans and eunuchs, who interfere in all matters of state. The principle which guides His Majesty in the selection of these officials may be guessed from the mixture of slavish flattery of his mental abilities and insolent trading on his weaknesses which alone enables them to maintain their posts and influence. All of them have ups and downs of favoritism; but among t. em there are invariably two or three sufficiently strong to get the most important measures blocked for weeks if it suits their purpose, and not unfrequently rejected entirely, even though unanimously recommended by the cabinet, the members of which have gradnally sunk into mere heads of departments. Witness the recall of the Amhassador from Rome without the knowledge of either the Grand Vizier or Poreign Minister, and an order for torpedo boats kept secret from the admiralty. Against the power of this secret council it is futile to struggle, and people dealing with the Government and palace must accept things as they are, and pay court to the parasites, who rapidly acquire wealth by turning their influence to the worst not to the seven trustees. Should the account. Of the Sultan's nervousness, that tremendous lever in designing hands, enough has been written to the English journals, where every body has read of the fortified seraglio and and the mosque built at its gates; of the elaborate precautions against imaginary conspiracies, and of the host of unscrupulous spies. To his fears and indulgence in costly follies Abdul Hamid owes the loss of his people's respect and much of the bad luck which is dogging his footsteps. At heart he means well, and is probably unconscious that his selfish whims and fancies are always allowed to outweigh the good of the nation, but the effect is nevertheless deplorable. He erroneously believes himself to be a reformer, though he may fairly claim to be an innovator. Pious he is, and sober, uxorious also, and squeamishly merciful toward non-political offenders. He will not sanction the death of the vilest murderer, quite forgetting that, especially in Turkey, leniency to criminals entails misery on the lawabiding. Music is his greatest pleasure, though he does not despise conjuring tricks and puppet-dancing. my field one day, and the next morning laxations, not the business, of life, which is to plot and scheme and labor to restore the caliphate to its ancient splendor, and the Ottoman empire to mer before last and was grown by the ging himself in the illusion that he is a mighty monarch and spinning, with the aid of soothsayers and toadies, innumerable cobwebs of future triumphs, while the country over which he yet rules is reeling to its foundations, and threatens to overwhelm him and his

## A GOTHAM ROMANCE.

lu Review.

An Auction Sale Behind Which Lay tho Tragedy of a Life.

sale took place in New York the other day, in an up-town flat. It had evidently been occupied by a woman, young, beautiful and refined, and she had gone out of it without removing even her rings that laysin the jewelstand on the dainty dressing-table. A piano, with a pile of songs and sheet after sheet of classical music; a library containing all the best of the modern do appoint two of its members, who shall suthers and many whom the verdict forthwith visit the Agricultural College of authors, and many whom the verdict of the ages have consecrated; books finely bound and artistically illustrated, showing that the reader liked to have her mental food served up on dainty dishes; pictures that, while they were not, perhaps, very costly, showed the owner knew the best and appreciated it; bric-a-brac of all sorts and well selected; a table service, consisting of napery-like satin and china, showing the best of the Wedgwood, Sevres and Worcester manufactures. And wearing apparel dainty enough for a Princess-tiny Satin slippers, five-and-a-half gloves, stockings like silk cobwebs and handkerchiefs as fine-quaint, picturesque, made evidently for a tall, slim woman; Eastern shawls, delicate lace-trimmed lingerio -all the beautiful things with which a high-bred and luxurious woman surrounds herself. Apparently no selections had been made, nothing kept back, and the woman had walked away beyond a doubt with nothing but the clothes she wore. The auctioneer said, briefly, in answer to all interrogations, that the owner had suddenly determined to go into a convent, and had directed that the entire contents of the flat be disposed of for the benefit of the institution she had entered. It was plain that the great tragedy of a life lay behind it, but what it was, the details of it, will never be known .- N. Y. Cor. San Francisco Argonitul.

-The other day a Boston man received a letter on the envelop of which were the words: "Blood! Blood! Blood!" in big red letters. Thinking that it contained a threat to kill him, he gave it unopened to the police. When they opened it they found it was a harmless appeal from a Salvation Army crank.

-A citizen in Marietta, La., put some chestnuts on the roof to dry, and the rats gnawed holes through the roof to get the chestnuts, and when it promenade before your mirror.-Experiences in the Eastern Archipelage by rained the water came through those Mrs. Forbes. \_\_\_\_\_ holes with a rush.

THE FARMERS' ASSOCIATION

Annual Meeting in Columbia-The President's Address-The Legislature Requested to Accept the Clemson Bequest-Other

(Columbia Record, Nov. 15.)

The Farmers' Association of South Caro ina met in Agricultural Hall last night, President D. K. Norris in the chair. He addressed the Association, setting forth the present aims and objects of the organization, more especially with reference to the Clemson bequest. On this subject Mr.

"The munificent bequest of Mr. Clem-on has eliminated the plea of poverty from the list of objections to the establishment of an agricultural college. The fund accruing to the State upon its acceptance of that bequest was, in the opinion of gentle men learned in the law, available for the erection of the necessary buildings.

"The property is magnificent, and the funds given by Congress for the advancement of agriculture in this State should be given to its support and diverted from the maintenance of a system at once unpopular and unprofitable More than this the State should cover every dollar bequesthed by Mr. Clemson for the education of the sons of its sturdy yeomen. It has been said that the State should not accept the bequest because it could not control the

management of the college when erected. "The fallacy of this statement was obvious. Mr. Clemson's executor was instructed to deed the property to the State, State accept the bequest in the time specitied it will pass into the ownership and ab solute control of the State; his seven trus tees, like the six chosen by the Legislature, will be in the hands of the State, and can do nothing without the consent of the

Legislature.
Whether the Clemson bequest is ac cepted or not, you should stand by your demand for a separate college, and the funds, not being spent, should be husbanded and allowed to accumulate until such time as the courts will pass upon this bequest or the Legislature has acceded to the demands of the people for an agricultural college. Until we have this college for the education of the masses, and until a more economical administration of State affairs is entered on, the Farmers' Association of South Carolina cannot, will not, must not

The next business in order was the election of officers. After several withdrawals, Capt. G. W. Shell, of Laurens, was unanimously elected president. Capt. Shell had himself declined to run against Col. Don-aldson, of Greenville, who in turn would not oppose Captain Shell.

The following-named gentlemen were elected vice presidents: M. L. Donaldson, of Greenville; G. Leaphart, of Lexington, and J. N. King, of Abbeville.

A number of resolutions were offered

and referred to the committee on resolutions, who reported favorably upon the following, which were adopted.

By J. C. Stribbling, of Oconee:

Whereas the Hon. Thomas G. Clemson deceased, did by his last will and testament donate to the State of South Carolina a to restore the caliphate to its ancient splendor, and the Ottoman empire to the ranks of the leading powers. Ever said State; and whereas we, the farmers of dreaming, never acting. Abdul Hamid | South Carolina, feel the need of agricul-"Well, I tell you. It came up sum- loiters in his chateaux en Espagne, hug- tural education and very much desire the said college to be established; be it, there-

Resolved, That the Legisluture be urgently requested to pass a joint resolution at its ensuing session to the effect that the State will accept the Clemson bequest whenever the will shall have been estab-

lished. A resolution was adopted commending certain newspapers [names not given] that had worked in the interest of the agricul-

tural movement to the members of the organization for their preference and support. Mr. B. O. Duncan offered a resolution that this Convention suggest to the next Legislature the names of five gentlemen to till the vacancies about to occur on the A mysterious and striking auction Board of Agriculture, which was adopted and a committee appointed, who presented the following names: For the First Circuit, W. T. C. Bates, of Orangeburg;

Third Circuit, J. E. Tindall, of Clarendor

Fifth Circuit, B. R. Tillman, of Edgefield;

Seventh Circuit, J. A. Sligh, of Newberry; State at large, D. K. Norris, of Anderson. The following resolutions by Mr. Norris were unfavorably reported by the committee, but adopted by the Convention:
"That the President of this Convention Mississippt, located at Clarksville in that

State, and investigate thoroughly and im-

partially the workings of said institution. "That for the information of the people of this State said committee shall make, through a leading paper in each of the citics of Charleston, Columbia and Greenville, a report upon the success or failure of said institution, according to the conclusions they shall have reached from observation.
"That the two members at large of the

State Board of Agriculture are hereby in-vited to join with the two members of this Convention in making the investigation, and report as herein provided for." The Chair appointed as such committee

D. K. Norris, of Anderson, and J. E. Tindal, of Clarendon.

A resolution by Mr. B. Odell Duncan,

demanding the acceptance of the Clemson bequest by the Legislature and diverting the land scrip fund and experimental station fund from the State University, was reported unfavorably and the report was adopted.

Dr. J. O. Byrd, of Darlington, offered a resolution calling a Constitutional Convention. It was unfavorably reported and finally laid on the table. A resolution urging and requesting the

Legislature to so legislate as to secure a reduction of expenses in the State government was reported unfavorably and the committee's report was sustained by the Convention. At 12.45 A. M. the Convention ad-

journed sine die, after appointing the executive committee as follows: Abbeville, G. N. Nicholls; Anderson, D. Abbeville, G. N. Nicholls; Anderson, D. K. Norris; Aiken, J. E. Hawlinson; Chester, J. H. Hardin; Clarendon, J. E. Tindall; Darlington, J. O. Byrd; Edgefield, B. R. Tillman; Fairfield, T. P. Mitchell; Kershaw, W. K. Thompson; Greenville, W. B. Buist; Lexington, J. M. Crine; Laurens, J. M. Hudgens; Pickens. W. T. Field; Newberry, Thompson Connor; Spartanburg, Moses Wood; Sumter, H. R. Thompson; Oconec, R. W. Shelor: Berkelev.

Thomas; Oconec, R. W. Shelor; Berkeley, J. B. Morrison; Marion, E. T. Stackhouse; Union, J. W. Gregory. The propagation of game should be taken up seriously and become a branch to be fostered and encouraged in the same manner as the methods of the pisciculturists. That game can be successfully restored to depleted portions of the country is not a

question of doubt. Experiments have shown that under proper conditions perfect success is sure to result from the effort,